

## House Resolution No. 4325

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

**Whereas**, Justin Michael McLaughlin of Belton, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on November 20, 2004, at CrossRoads-The United Methodist Church in Belton; and

**Whereas**, Justin, a member of Boy Scout Troop 210, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved building ten bat houses for the James A. Reed Wildlife Area; and

**Whereas**, during his ten years in Scouting, Justin mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn thirty-one merit badges, the Firem'n Chit, the Totin' Chip, a Venture Letter, the Scuba pin, the Backpacking pin, the Shooting pin, the World Conservation Award, Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow, and the status of Keeper of the Sacred Bundle in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say; and

**Whereas**, Justin demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Senior Patrol Leader, Quartermaster, and Den Chief; and

**Whereas**, the son of Barry and Karen McLaughlin, Justin developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers; and

**Whereas**, Justin's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Justin McLaughlin for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Justin Michael McLaughlin.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Brian Baker  
District No. 123

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4325, adopted October 20, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker